

The Tarboro' Southerner.

Thursday, - - November 30, 1871.

Village Tattling.

Oh, how in this world be found
Some little spot of happy ground,
Where village pleasures might go round,
Without the village tattling!
How doubly bliss that place would be,
Where all might dwell in liberty,
Free from the bitter misery
Of gossip's endless prattling.

If such a spot were really known,
Dance Poets might claim it as their own,
And in it might fix their throne,
For ever and forever;
There like a queen might reign and live,
While every one would soon forgive
The little slight it might receive,
And be offended never.

'Tis mischief-makers that remove
Far from our hearts the warmth of love,
And lead us all to disapprove
What gives another pleasure.
They seem to take one's part, but when
They've heard our case, kindly then
They soon recall them all again,
Mixed with their poisonous measure.

And then they've such a cunning way
Of telling ill-natured tales;
"Don't mention what you say," I pray,
I would not tell you that;
Straight to your neighbor's house they go,
Narrating everything they know;
And break the peace of high and low,
Wife, husband, friend and brother.

O, that the mischief making crew
Were all reduced to one or two,
And they were painted red or blue,
That every one might know them;
Then would our peace be found again,
To rage and quarrel, hum and fret,
Or fall into an angry pen,
With things so much below them.

For his a bad degrading trait,
To make another's bosom smart,
And plant a dagger in the heart,
We ought to love and cherish.
Then let us evermore be found
In quietness with all around,
While friendship, joy and peace abound,
And angry feelings perish.

SPUNGIANA.

Buff work—Making lace coils.

How to get a well—Dig it deep

Elevated buildings—Cist in the air.

Labor in vein—Working in a coal mine.

Autumn hues—Cutting wood for winter.

The latest thing in dresses—Night dresses.

Saturn is the celestial "Boss" of the Ring.

"Half-and-half Measures"—Pewter pots.

Fee simple—Money given to a quack doctor.

Protested bills—Pastors on forbid den walls.

Railroad "sleepers"—the night patrons of palace cars.

It is hard to respect old age when one gets sold on a venerable pair of chickens.

A young girl may be sure a man loves her unutterably when he sits in her presence for one hour without speaking.

The fellow who called tight boots comfortable, defended his position by saying they made a man forget all his other miseries.

A sensitive old bachelor says that pretty girls always affect him as ornamental confectionery does—they give him the heart-burn.

"Have I not a right to be saucy, if please?" asked a young lady of an old bachelor. "Yes if you please, but not if you displease," was the answer.

Woman, wake up!" exclaims the Revolution, and an indolent rural editor adds: "Yes, and—d—n it, turn out and make a fire and put the kettle on."

Boarding School Miss—"Oh, Charlie, I expect to graduate at next commencement." "Graduate! What will you graduate in?" "Why, in white tulle."

Says Katie to her new husband: "John, what a rick does love build upon?" "Quoth John, grained from ear to ear: The rock of yonder cradle, dear."

SMART BOY—"You'd better be a bit out for your box's feet above here is said a ragged boy to a traveler. "Why?" said the gentleman, over his pulping up. "Cos there's a fork in the road there."

Well, Pat, I am glad to see you out again, but were you out afraid to see your God during your recent severe illness?" "No, nor Honor; not a bit of it; it was the matter of that other chap that I was afraid of."

A California man requested his wife, in a ball room, to hold the baby of another man's wife while he danced with the baby's mother—but she didn't hold it. "Some wives are too disobedient to put up with it!"

A drunken man fell asleep by the roadside, where a pig found him and began to lick his mouth. "Who's kissing me now?" exclaimed the drunkard. "What a capital thing it is to be in favor with the women!"

A French author says, "A kiss gives more pleasure than anything else in the world." To this an editor responds, "That writer evidently never experienced the child's report of descending the stairs by sliding down the banisters."

"What makes you look so 'crum, Tom?"

"Oh, I have had to endure a sad trial to my feelings."

"What on earth was it?"

"Why, I had to hear a pretty girl's bonnet while her ma was looking on."

An Atlanta paper has the following statistics: "Of the sixty-two young ladies who have failed every one in Atlanta during the summer, fifty-seven fell in the arms of gentlemen, eleven fell on the floor, and one into a water-bucket. Nothing serious in any of the cases."

Two mothers were boasting of the achievements of their respective "only children." Said she, "My son blew out the candle when he was seven months old." "At?" replied the other, "a boy who blows out the candle at seven months will never set the world on fire."

STATEMENT

SHOWING THE AMOUNTS ALLOWED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FROM 1ST SEPT., 1870, TO 1ST DAY OF AUGUST, 1871.

1870.

Sept. 5. George Hines for support \$1 50

Shade Phillips, for support 1 50

B. J. Keech, (supplies to Jacob Knight), 2 00

G. S. Parker, support 2 00

S. Fountain, for Registering Voters, 15 57

Jas. P. Jenkins, for Registering Voters, 6 57

W. S. Dugan, for Registering Voters, 9 48

J. C. Bellamy, for Registering Voters, 12 27

Jas. T. Howard, for Registering Voters, 8 19

Jas. H. M. Jackson, for Registering Voters, 19 73

Jas. H. M. Jackson, for Services as Special Census, 16 50

Arden Hyman, for Digging Well, etc., 2 00

R. C. Brown, for Hauling Brick Bats, 11 70

W. G. Turner, for Services as Constable, 70 00

David H. Barlow, for Repairing Treadle Bridge, 10 00

G. L. Winburn, for work on Jail, 12 00

Tarboro' Southerner for publishing paper per diem and mileage, 6 75

Geo. S. Hales, for Work on Jail, 13 65

Joseph H. Phippen, Justices fees, cases of Insolents, 7 20

Warren Payton, for Wood at Four House, 20 40

Thomas Guion, old Jury Ticket, 8 00

Jas. O'Neil, old Jury Ticket, 4 41

Services as Attorney Attending to Road, 3 00

Brown, Daniel & Co., for Town as Special Census, 4 45

Wm. Howard, Medicines, for Poor, 20 40

Stephen Dano, for Making Coffin, 9 00

Glenn Dancy, for Work on Wagon, 3 00

Robt. Norbert, (Supplies to J. H. Baker), 3 00

Louisa Lawrence for support Isaac Williams, for support 4 50

Jacob Bryan, for support 4 50

Sarah E. Morgan, for support 4 50

Charlotte Vick, for support 4 50

Nancy Sumner, for support 3 00

Wm. Tolson, for support 3 00

Winnefred Langley, for support 18 00

Aminda Crainwell, for support 3 00

Nancy Meers, for support 4 50

Amey Jones, for support 4 50

Elsey Walker, for support 4 50

Sarah Lloyd, for support 4 50

Polly Garvey, for support 4 50

Sally Hales, for support 4 50

Nancy Sumner, for support 4 50

Crissy Fleming, for support 4 50

Mary Wadsworth, for support 4 50

Francis Wadsworth, for support 4 50

John Stewart and wife, for support 25 00

Louisa Brinkley, for support 13 50

Martha Price, for support 6 00

Susan Brier, for support 6 00

Sisterella Hearne and Sister, for support 6 00

Elizabeth Sumner, for support 4 50

Emeline Harrell, for support 13 00

Wm. Webb, for child, for support 6 00

E. T. Carlie, for support 9 00

Anna Stancel, for support 3 00

Silva Stancel, for support 3 00

Martha Merritt, for support 6 00

Kate Harrison, for support 4 50

Hannah Dunlop, for support 4 50

Charlotte Fulton, for support 12 00

Sally Webb, for support 4 50

Martha M. O'ham, for support 4 50

Harris Pope, for support 15 00

George K. Ebbow, for support 15 00

Margaret Watkins, for support 3 00

Jim Lloyd, for support 4 50

Susan Powell, for support 7 50

Calista Walker, for support 3 00

Eliza Edwards, for support 6 00

Burney Fulford, for support 6 00

Carissa Williams, for support 6 00

Sennie Savage, for support 5 00

Judge Norbert, for support 4 50

Susan Pa, for support 4 50

Jacob Bright, for support 4 50

Victor Garvey, for support 4 50

Edith Morning, for support 4 50

Joan Joyner, for support 4 50

Ben Carr, for support 2 00

Bella Scott, for support 4 50

Barbara Whitley, for support 4 50

Escher Mouring, for support 4 50

John Decker, for support 3 00

Charles Sharpe, for support 6 00

Lawrence Johnson, for support 9 00

Mauida McCulloch, for support 3 00

Elizabeth Williams, for support 6 00

John Turner, for support 6 00

Priscilla L. for support 6 00

E. Skinner, for support 10 00

John Russell, for support 8 00

Nancy Barlow, for support 8 00

Hannah Harrison, for support 8 00

George Hines, for support 4 50

George Wilkins, for support 7 50

Fanny Station, for support 3 00

Louisa Williams, for support 25 00

William Waller, for support 10 00

Nancy Lewis, for support 10 00

R. A. Sizer, for School Census, 40 00

Jesse Dixon, for Making Coffin, 4 00

W. T. Godwin, for services at Poor House, 67 25

Orren Floss, for services at Poor House, 8 50

Mary Waller, for services at Poor House, 15 00

Anna Norfles, for services at Poor House, 24 00

B. J. Keech, for supplies to the Poor, 282 89

Oct. 18. Elizabeth Watkins, for support 4 50

Nov. 3. A. A. Mcneal for Medicine for Prisoners 71 90

A. H. Mcneal, for Medical Services, 110 00

Edward Lloyd for Making Coffin 4 00

Wm. Mitchell, for Making Coffin 4 00

B. B. Bryan, for Making Coffin 4 00

J. H. M. Jackson, for Burying Paupers, 4 50

Emmie Keel, for support 4 50

Moses Bailek, for support 4 50

Battle Bryant, amount paid Judge for Special Term, 166 87

Sally Griffin, for support 3 00

Antomina Macnair, for witness tickets 15 00

Joe Joe, for witness tickets 4 50

Paula Bryan, for notifying

County Officers, &c. 41 40
Delia Hicks for support 4 00
July Porter, for support 4 00
Patrick Byram for making Coffin 7 00
Syrina Edwards, for support 3 00
H. J. Keech, for making out Tax List 101 64
B. J. Keech, for fees, from Oct. 1st 1870 to Oct. 1st 1871 208 00
Dugan & Co., for acct of R. B. Bassit, for work on C. H. 18 75
Wm. A. Moore, for work on C. H. 1 00
H. L. Leggett, for repairing Bell's Bridge 68 28
H. L. Leggett, for services as Justice of Township Trustees 10 00
N. O. Neal, for support 8 00
H. H. Austin, for acct as County Treasurer 300 00
Nov. 21. David Lane for repairing old Mill Creek Bridge 100 00
Henry Proctor, for support 3 00
Wright Locust, for Work on Jail 14 28
Bythel G. Brown, for taking School Census 4 00
Arden Hyman, for taking School Census 4 00
B. T. Lyon, Jury Tickets 1867 7 15
B. T. Lyon, Jury Tickets 1868 20
Percival Chatterly, Jury Tickets 1868 1 45
Erastus Christie, Jury Tickets 1864 20
James Howell, witness Ticket 1869 6 94
Thomas Newton, witness Ticket 1870 7 70
Wm. Cook, for building Bridge 50 00
Wm. Cook, for making four Coffins 20 00
J. H. Edwards, for supplies to Passy Howell 8 76
W. S. Dugan, for services 60 00
W. A. Dugan, for Medical Services, &c 35 81
William Walton, for Coffin 5 00
B. F. Mayo, for services as Township Clerk 10 00
M. H. Edwards, for services as Township Trustee 10 00
J. H. Edwards, for services as Township Trustee 10 00
Wm. Walton, for rent of House for Dave Williams 7 50
Wm. Howard, for Medicine furnished Poor 36 75
Dec. 12. J. M. Jackson, for 2 days attendance at Poor House 6 00
J. H. M. Jackson, for 11 days services as County Commissioner 33 00
W. S. Dugan, for 11 days services as Clerk of Commissioners 38 50
B. J. Keech, for 11 days services as County Commissioner 38 50
David Bryan, for feeding Prisoners 189 45
Thomas Newton, for four attendances at the Poor House 12 00
Dec. 19. David Lane, for Lumber for Cokey Bridge 12 00
J. C. Bellamy, for fees in May Court 26 65
Bennedy Barnes, for expenses of Mr. J. Watkins 15 26
H. H. Shaw, for services as Township Clerk 25 85
A. McCabe, for 12 day services 24 00
B. J. Keech, for supplies furnished the Poor 407 24
1871. J. H. M. Jackson, for 10 days services as Township Trustee 20 00
Dr. D. C. Williams, for Post Mortem Examination 10 00
Asa Norfles, for services at Poor House 24 00
Oliver Floss, for services at Poor House 24 00
Mary Waller, for services at Poor House 15 00
W. T. Godwin, for services at Poor House 63 00
C. K. Pope, for building 2 Bridges 94 60
Carter Pope, for building 2 Bridges 65 21
M. P. Edwards, for Registering 209 names 9 00
M. P. Edwards, for taking Tax List 10 00
Louisa Lawrence, for support 2 00
Jacob Bryan, for support 4 00
Anna Crowell 4 00
Amey Jones 4 00
Elsey Walker 4 00
Sarah Lloyd 4 00
Polly Garvey 4 00
Sally Hales 4 00
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